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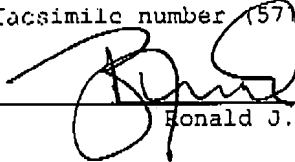
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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111
TO THE OFFICE ACTION DATED JUNE 7, 2007**

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Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action dated
June 7, 2007. A petition for a two-month extension of the period
for responding to the Action is being filed concurrently herewith.

Reconsideration of the rejection of the claims is requested in
view of the remarks that follow.

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